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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Civil Justice Subcommittee

Summer Study Hearing

Tuesday, October 29, 2019 - HHR III - 9:00 AM

Carter, Chair; Beck, Curcio, Garrett, Howell, Moody, Towns

1. <u>HB 0340</u> *Daniel, Todd, Lafferty, Staples, Faison, Terry, Holt, Hill T, Hill M, Rudder, Hall, Parkinson, Sexton J, DeBerry, Jernigan, Hulsey, Hardaway, Lamar, Hodges, Thompson, Hakeem, Calfee, Dixie, Bricken, Rudd, Dunn, Cepicky, Crawford, Eldridge, Byrd, Wright, Love, Kumar, Chism, Cooper, Miller, Van Huss, Shaw, Carr, Haston (SB 0362 by *Niceley)

Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, makes various changes to civil forfeiture procedure, including requiring the district attorney general to review the underlying circumstances of a seizure to determine if probable cause exists to justify forfeiture and, when appropriate, file a motion to dismiss the application for forfeiture warrant, upon which the court shall dismiss the application and return the seized property. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 33.

2. <u>HB 0862</u> ***Lafferty** (SB 1289 by *Pody)

Forfeiture of Assets - As introduced, changes from March 1 to February 15 of each year the date by which the department of safety shall report to the speakers of the senate and the house of representatives and the chairs of the appropriate committees a report detailing seizures for the previous calendar year. - Amends TCA Title 40, Chapter 33.